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THE WOMAN'S CLUB

By Mrs. Palmer Rhodes.

On Monday, Oct. 25, the Woman's club held a most interesting session, Mrs. Henrietta R. Kapp giving the address of the afternoon. Mrs. Kapp spoke on "Interior Decorating," bringing out many charming and beautiful ideas, and demonstrating the wonderful results obtained from the proper matching of colors and the artistic arrangement and choice of furnishings in the home. Mrs. Kapp displayed a beautiful array of samples, giving many unique methods of arrangement. The writer observed a number of ladies taking notes thus concluding that Sierra Madre homes will be substantially benefited by Mrs. Kapp's artistic ideas.

Mrs. M. E. Jenkins of Los Angeles, speaker for the Woman's Legislative Council and state lecturer for the W. C. T. U., spoke at length on the Community Property bill, advising a vote in the affirmative. Followoing the adjournment of the meeting a social hour was enjoyed, Mrs. Spencer Howard presiding over the teacups.

The Shower given on last Thursday evening for the purpose of furnishing the club parlors, was a most successful affair. Besides a number of very beautiful and useful gifts, $21.00 in money was received. The evening was pleasantly employed with cards and dancing and refreshments, consisting of sandwiches and coffee, were served. All who attended this really enjoyable affair are looking forward with much expectancy to the club's next social evening

The Art section of the club will hold its first meeting on Thursday, Nov. 4, from 1 o'clock to 3, at the club house. The Drama section will meet on the afternoon of thesame day from 3 o'clock to 5. Students will facilitate matters greatly by being punctual. Persons not belonging to the club may enter the classes at a fee of $10 for the season.

On Monday, Nov. 8, the Reciprocity Day luncheon and program will be given at the club house. For this affair more than one hundred invitations have been issued to presidents of other clubs. In order that the club members may all be present the nominal charge of 35c per plate has been made for the luncheon, which places it within the reach of all. This will not begin to pay for the luncheon therefore donations of supplies will be gladly received by Mrs. W. H. Ingraham, Blue 43, or Mrs. Spencer Howard, Blue 27. Reservations may be made with these same ladies not later than Wednesdty, Nov. 3. The chairman of programs has an exceptionally fine offering for this afternoon, which you cannot afford to miss.

This is the evening of the masquerade ball which the club is sponsoring and it promises to be a dance which will be attended not only by the young people but by a number of married couples. Don your mask and join the crowd of merry makers. Hallowe'en comes but once a year.

RED CROSS SHOP AND WOMAN'S EXCHANGE TO OPEN

The Red Cross Shop and Woman's Exchange will be open at 41 N. Baldwin avenue on Saturday, Oct. 30, at 11 o'clock.

In the Red Cross Shop donations of every description, clothes, shoes, hats, books, etc., are sold to swell the funds of the Home Relief.

In the Woman's Exchange department cooked foods of all kinds, also clothing, hats, shoes, etc., are sold on commission, the donor receiving 80 per cent of the sale price, the remaining 20 per cent going to the Home Relief.

Everyone is urged to bring something they can't use and to buy something they can.

BIRTHDAY DINNER

Last Sunday Mrs. L. E. Lyon entertained with a dinner in celebration of the birthday aniversary of her daughter, Mrs. C. D. Pettis of New York. Guests included members of the family and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Monnahan of Los Angeles.

SUNDAY SCHOOL PICNIC

The annual picnic of the Sunday school of the Church of the Ascension will be held tomorrow, Saturday, at Fish Canyon The children are requested to meet at the church on Saturday morning at 9 o'clock. Everybody bring some luncheon. Automobiles will be provided.

THEOSOPHY

A class for children under the direction of the Children's School of Theosophy, United Lodge of Theosophists, is held each Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, at 162 E. Central avenue. All who are interested are cordially invited to send their children.

NEW PRESIDENT FOR CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

A new presiednt will be elected at the regular monthly meeting of the Chamber of Commerce next Monday night, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of James N. Hawks.

The committee on street lights for West Central avenue will report progress and other matters of importance will be presented for action.

These meetings are open to the public and anyone interested in the welfare and growth of Sierra Madre is cordially invited to attend. All members are urged to be present next Monday evening at the City hall.

MODERN PRISCILLAS

The Modern Priscillas will meet at the home of Mrs. Donald C. Ashmore next Thursday, Nov. 4.

Dean Shaw will preach Sunday morning on the "League of Nations" and in the evening on "Good Citizenship."

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Helen McCaron, Dorotha Scott, Elizabeth Butsch and Esther Allett entertained a few friends in the parlor of the Congregational church on Monday afternoon. Each gave a Bible story, all of which were well told. Prizes had been offered for the telling of these stories. Helen McCaron took the first prize, Dorotha Scott and Elizabeth Butsch were almost a tie, The decision was finally given in favor of the former. Hazel Udell and Phyllis Settle sang a duet and Margaret Butsch gave a violin solo. A social time followed with refreshments served by the girls.

BAZAAR PLAY

Rehearsals for the three-act play, "The Importance of Being Ernest," which is to be presented by a cast of local people at the Episcopal church bazaar November 18 and 19, are progressing most favorably according to reports.

Two of the principal parts will be interpreted by actors who have not appeared before Sierra Madre audiences previously, and their work at rehearsals shows that they will delight the audience with their performance.

WHERE IS THE NEW FLAG?

Considerable curiosity is caused by the absence of the new City flag from the flag pole. Perhaps "the city" is saving it for special occasions, but Judge Forman says he presented it with the intention of its being used and the hope that the old one would be retired with a pension.

(Note—The flag has appeared on the flag pole before the appearance of this article in the paper—which proves the advertising value of the News.)

PAPER TOO SMALL

We ask our readers' indulgence this week on account of the lack of news in this issue. Advertisers have "taken the paper," the last week before election, and we have no extra paper in stock to run a supplement. The News will get back to normal again next week.

BOY SCOUTS ORGANIZED

The Boy Scouts have organized with Prof. Reynolds as scout master. We consider this the most important news item of the week.

Louis Brooks is building a residence on E. Central.

Mrs. Bella Wells and Mrs. Brush of Los Angeles were guests of Mrs. Ella Lyon the past week.

Mr. Philip Riethman of Kansas City has bought Dr. Mackerras' properity on West Central and has moved his family in.

Miss Emma Krauter and Miss Hallicy of San Bernardino spent last week end with Mrs. J. W. Krauter on East Montecito.

George B. Morgridge and daughter, Elizabeth, will leave Tuesday for Muscatine, Iowa, and Chicago, to be absent about three weeks.

Mrs. E. W. Camp and daughter, Miss Dorothy Camp, have returned to their home here after a months' stay at Lake Huntington, Fresno county.

Mrs. R. O. Cowling, who has been the house guest of Mrs. William Carson Shaw, for the past two weeks, left Thursday for her home in Spokane, Washington.

Mrs. C. D. Pettis left Tuesday for a visit with friends in Los Angeles for several days. Before she returns she expects to take a trip to San Diego.

Louis Karpf left Monday for Philadelphia and expects to be gone three weeks. He hopes to arrange his business interests there so that he can remain in Sierra Madre permanently.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Chambers of Montgomery, Ala., who have been visiting Mrs. Chambers' brother, Harry M. Dumas, left Saturday for their home. They expect to visit the Grand Canyon en route.

Mrs. E. W. Emmersn, Mrs. Marie Watson and Miss Annie Greene attended the district meeting of the Missionary boards of the Congregational church held in Los Angeles yesterday at the Pico Heights church.

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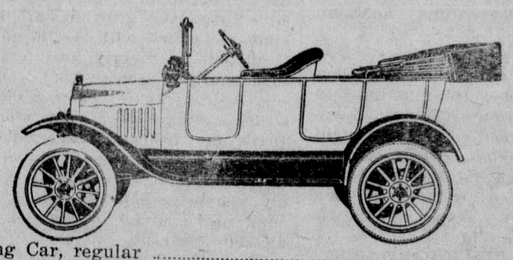

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Webster—Man's Man

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"PLEASE LET ME HEAR FROM YOU."

John Stuart Webster, mining engineer, man's man, 39 years young, boards a train in Death Valley, California, on his way back to civilization after cleaning up $100,000. He is dreaming of cool baths, silk pajamas and ham and eggs. But he looks like a hobo to the porter and the conductor. His way of changing their views gives a hint of the mettle of the man. Then he meets a distressed lady, who makes his heart flop over for the first time in all his days. He eliminates the offending man after the style of the man's man the world over. Being what he is and also girl-shy, he does not take advantage of his opportunity. But he just had to find out who the no-longer-distressed lady is, being determined to hatch up a scheme to meet her again—and marry her. She is Dolores Ruey.

CHAPTER II—Continued.

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Webster struck the upholstery of an adjacent chair a terrific blow with his stick—the effect of which was to cause everybody in the room to start and to conceal Mr. Webster momentarily in a cloud of dust, the while in a bellowing baritone he sang:

"His father was a hard-rock miner;
He comes from my home town—"

"Jack Webster! The devil's own kin!" shouted Neddy Jerome. He swept the cards into a heap and waddled across the room to meet this latest assailant of the peace and dignity of the Engineers' club. "You old, worthless, ornery, no-good son of a lizard! I've never been so glad to see a man that didn't owe me money. I've been combing the whole civilized world for you, for a month, at least. Where the devil have you been?"

John Stuart Webster beamed happily upon his friend. "Well, Neddy, you old stocking-knitter," he replied quizzically, "since that is the case, I'm not surprised at your failure to find me. You've known me long enough to have remembered to confine your search to the uncivilized reaches."

"Well, you're here, at any rate and I'm happy. Now you settle down."

"Hardly, Neddy. "I'm young yet, you know—only forty. Still a real live man and not quite ready to degenerate into a card-playing, eat-drink-and-be-merry, die-of-inanition, sink-to-oblivion and go-to-h—— fireplace spirit!" And he prodded Jerome in the short ribs with a tentative thumb that caused the old man to wince. He permitted his friend to drag him downstairs to the deserted lounge, where Jerome paused in the middle of the room and renewed his query:

"Where have you been, I ask?"

"Out in Death valley, California, trying to pry loose a fortune."

"Did you pry it?"

John Stuart Webster arched his eyebrows in mock reproach. "And you can see my new suit, Neddy, my sixteen-dollar, made-to-order shoes and my horny hoofs encased in silken hose—and ask that question? Freshly shaved and ironed and almost afraid to sit down and get wrinkles in my trousers! Smell that!" He blew a cloud of cigar smoke into Jerome's smiling face. The latter sniffed. "It smells expensive," he replied.

"Yes, and you can bet it tastes expensive, too," Webster answered, handing his cigar-case to his friend.

Jerome bit the end of his cigar and spat derisively. "How much have you made?" he demanded bluntly.

"It's none of your business, but I'll tell you because I love you, Neddy. I've made one hundred thousand dollars."

"Chicken-feed," Jerome retorted. "Johnny, I've been combing the mineral belt of North and South America for you for a month."

"Why this sudden belated interest in me?"

"I have a fine job for you, John—"

"King's X," Webster interrupted, and showed both hands with the fingers crossed. "No plotting against my peace and comfort, Neddy. Haven't I told you I'm all dressed up for the first time in three years, that I have money in my pocket and more in bank? Man, I'm going to tread the primrose path for a year before I get back into the harness again."

Jerome waved a deprecatory hand, figuratively brushing aside such feeble and inconsequential argument. "Are you foot-loose?" he demanded.

"I'm not. I'm bound in golden chains—"

"Married, eh? Great Scott, I might have guessed it. So you're on your honeymoon, eh?"

"No such luck, you vichy-drinking iconoclast. If you had ever gotten far enough from this club during the past fifteen years to get a breath of real fresh air, you'd understand why I want to enjoy civilization for a week or two before I go back to a mine superintendent's cabin on some bleak hill. No, sir-ee. Old Jeremiah Q. Work and I have had a falling out. Dad burn your picture, Neddy, I want some class! I've been listening to a dago shift-boss playing the accordeon for three years—and he could only play three tunes. Now I want Sousa's band. I've been bathing in tepid, dirty water in a redwood sluice-box, and now I desire a steam room and a needle shower and an osteopath. I've been bossing Greasers and Italians and was forced to learn their language to get results, and now I want to speak my mother tongue to my old friends. By thunder I'm going to have a new deal all around."

"Very well, Jack. Don't excite yourself. I'll give you exactly thirty days to sicken of it all—and then I shall come and claim my property."

"Neddy, I'll not work for you. I'm mad. I won't play."

"You're it. I just tagged you."

"I require a rest—but unfold your proposition, Neddy. I was born a poor, weak vessel consumed with a curiosity that was ever my undoing. I can only protest that this is no way to treat a friend."

"Nonsense! My own brother wants this job, and I have refused to give it to him. Business is business—and I've saved it for you."

Jerome leaned forward and laid his finger confidentially on Webster's knee; whereat the light-hearted wanderer carefully lifted the finger, brushed an imaginary speck of dirt from it, and set it down again. "Be serious, you ingrate," Jerome protested. "Listen! I've been working for two years on a consolidation up near Telluride, and I've just put it across. Jack, it's the biggest thing in the country. Colorado Consolidated Mines Company, Limited. English capital, Jack. Pay 'em 6 per cent. and they'll call you blessed. There's twenty-five thousand a year in it, with a house and a good cook and an automobile and a chauffeur, and you can come to town whenever you please, provided you don't neglect the company's interests—and I know you're not that kind of an engineer."

"Do I have to put some money into it, Neddy?"

"Not necessarily, although I should advise it. I can let you in on the ground floor for that hundred thousand of yours, guarantee you a handsome profit and in all probability a big cleanup."

"I feel myself slipping, Neddy. Nevertheless, the tail goes with the hide. I'm not in the habit of asking my friends to guarantee my investments, and if you say it's right, I'll spread what I have left of the hundred thousand when I report for duty."

"It's been a tremendous job getting this consolidation over, Jack. When—"

"In pity's name! Spare me. I've heard all I want to hear about your confounded consolidation. News! News! Give me news! I have to beg for a drink— Mose, you black sinner, how dare you appear before me without bringing a drink?"

Mose, the aged colored porter of the Engineers' club, flashed a row of ivories and respectfully returned the democratic greeting.

"Letter for you, suh. The secretary told me to give it to you, Mistah Webster."

"Thank you, Mose. Speak up, Neddy, and tell me something. Ever hear anything of Billy Geary?"

He was tearing the edge of the envelope the while he gazed at Jerome, who was rubbing his fat hands together after the fashion of elderly men who are well pleased with themselves.

"You have a chance to become one of the greatest and richest mining engineers in the world, Jack," he answered, "now that you've cut loose from that young crook Geary. I don't know what's become of him, and neither does anybody else. For that matter, nobody cares."

"I do—and you can take the brief end of that bet for your last white chip. Don't let me hear you or anybody else say anything against Billy Geary. That boy goes for my money, every turn in the box. Don't make any mistakes about that, oldtimer."

Webster's face suddenly was serious; the bantering intonation in his voice was gone, and a new, slightly strident note had crept into it. But Jerome waved his hand soothingly.

"All right, old Johnny Pepper-box, have it your own way. Nevertheless, I'm a little mystified. The last I knew of you two, you had testified against him in the high-grade trials at Cripple Creek, and he had pulled out under a cloud, even after his acquittal."

"Give a dog a bad name, and it will stick to him," Webster retorted. "Of course I testified against him. As engineer for the Mine Owners' association, I had to. The high-grade ore was found in his assay office, and the circumstantial evidence was complete, and I admit Billy was acquitted merely because I and others could not swear positively that the ore came from any certain mine. It was the same old story, Neddy. You can be morally certain that high-grade ore has been stolen from your mine, but unless you catch the ore thief in the act, how can you prove it? I suppose you read the newspaper reports and believed them, just as everybody else does."

"Well, forget it, Jack. It's all over long ago, and forgotten."

"It wasn't all over so long ago as you seem to think. I suppose you knew the Holman gang was afterward sent to the penitentiary for those same high-grade operations? Billy Geary's acquittal didn't end my interest in the case—not by a jugful! I fought the case against the friends of the Holman crew among the mine owners themselves; and it cost me my good job, my prestige as a mining engineer, and thirty thousand dollars of money that I'd slaved to get together. Of course you never knew this, Neddy, and for that matter, neither does Geary. I wish he did. We were good friends once. I certainly was mighty fond of that boy."

He drew the letter from the envelope and slowly opened it.

"And you never heard what became of Geary?"

"Not a word. I was too busy wondering what was to become of me. I couldn't get a job anywhere in Colorado, and I moved to Nevada. Made a million in Goldfield, dropped it in the panic of 1907, and had to start again—"

"What have you been doing lately?"

"Borax. Staked a group of claims down in Death valley. Bully ground, Neddy, and I was busted when I located them. Had to borrow money to pay the filing fees and incorporation, and did my own assessment work. Look!" Webster held up his hands, still somewhat grimy and calloused. "The Borax trust knew I was busted, but they never could quite get over the fear that I'd dig up some backing and give them a run—so they bought me out."

"Somebody told me Geary had gone to Rhodesia," Jerome continued musingly, "or maybe it was Capetown. I know he was seen somewhere in South Africa."

"He left the Creek immediately after the conclusion of his trial. Poor boy! That dirty business destroyed the lad and made a tramp of him, I guess. I tell you, Neddy, no two men ever lived who came nearer to loving each other than Billy Geary and his old Jack-pardner. We bucked the marts of men and went to sleep together hungry many a time during our five-year partnership. Why, Bill was like my own boy. Jerome, I curse the day I took that boy out from underground and put him in the assay office to learn the business. How could I know that the Holman gang had cached the stuff in his shack?"

"Well, it's too bad," Jerome answered dully. He was quite willing that the subject of conversation should be changed. "I'm glad to get the right dope on the boy, anyhow. Have another drink?"

"Not until I read this letter. Now, who the dickens knew I was headed for Denver and the Engineers' club? I didn't tell a soul, and I only arrived this morning."

He turned to the last page to ascertain the identity of his correspondent, and his facial expression ran the gamut from surprise to a joy that was good to see.

John Stuart Webster read the letter deliberately, after which he sat in silent contemplation of the design of the carpet for fully a minute before reaching for the bell. A servant responded immediately.

"Bring me the time-tables of all roads leading to New Orleans," he ordered, "—also a cable blank."

Webster had reread the letter before the servant returned with the time-tables.

"August, you go out to the desk, like a good fellow, and ask the secretary to arrange for a compartment for me to New Orleans on the Gulf States limited, leaving at 10 o'clock tomorrow night." He handed the servant his card. "Now wait a minute until I write something." He seized the cable blank, helped himself, uninvited, to Neddy Jerome's fountain pen, and wrote:

"William H. Geary, Calle de Concordia No. 19, Buenaventura, Sobrante, C. A.

"Salute, you young jackass! Just received your letter. Cabling thousand for emergency roll first thing tomorrow. Will order machinery. Leaving for New Orleans tomorrow night, to arrive Buenaventura first steamer. Your letter caught me with a hundred thousand. We cut it two ways and take our chances. Keep a light in the window for your old

"JACK-PARDNER."

"That's a windy cablegram," Neddy Jerome remarked as the servant bore it away. "Why all this garrulity? A cablegram anywhere generally costs at least a dollar a word."

"'That's my delight of a shiny night, in the season of the year,'" quoted John Stuart Webster; "and why the devil economize when the boy needs cheering up?"

"What boy?"

"Billy Geary."

"Where is he?"

"Central America."

Neddy Jerome was happy. He was in an expansive mood, for he had, with the assistance of a kindly fate, rounded up the one engineer in all the world whom he needed to take charge of the Colorado Consolidated. So he said:

"Well, Jack, just to celebrate the discovery of your old pal, I'll tell you what I'll do. I'll O. K. your voucher for the expense of bringing young Geary back to the U. S. A., and when we get him here, it will be up to you to find a snug berth for him with Colorado Consolidated."

"Neddy," said John Stuart Webster, "by my halidom, I love thee. You're a thoughtful, kindly old stick-in-the-mud—"

"No if's nor but's. I'm your boss," Jerome interrupted, and waddled away to telephone the head waiter at his favorite restaurant to reserve a table for two.

Mr. Webster sighed. He disliked exceedingly to disappoint old Neddy, but— He shrank from seeming to think overwell of himself by declining a twenty-five-thousand-dollar-a-year job with the biggest mining company in Colorado, but—

"Rotten luck," he soliloquized. "It runs that way for a while, and then it changes, and gets worse!"

When Jerome returned to his seat, the serious look in Webster's hitherto laughing eyes challenged his immediate attention.

"Neddy," said John Stuart Webster gently, "do you remember my crossing my fingers and saying 'King's X' when you came at me with that proposition of yours? It just breaks my heart to have to decline it, but the fact of the matter is, I think you'd better give that job to your brother, after all. At any rate, I'm not going to take it."

"Why?" the amazed Jerome demanded. "Johnny, you're crazy in the head. Of course you'll take it."

For answer Webster handed his friend the letter he had just received.

"Read that, old horse, and see if you can't work up a circulation," he suggested.

Jerome adjusted his spectacles and read:

"Calle de Concordia 19, Buenaventura,
"Sobrante, C. A.

"Dear John: I would address you as 'dear friend John,' did I but possess sufficient courage. In my heart of hearts you are still that, but after three years of silence, due to my stupidity and hardness of heart, it is, perhaps, better to make haste slowly.

"To begin, I should like to be forgiven, on the broad general grounds that I am most almighty sorry for what I went and done! Am I forgiven? I seem to see your friendly old face and hear you answer 'Aye,' and with this load off my chest at last I believe I feel better already.

"Jack, you poor, deluded old piece of white meat, do you think for a moment that I held against you your testimony for the operators in Cripple Creek? I thought you believed the charges and that you testified in a firm belief that I was the guilty man, as all of the circumstantial evidence seemed to indicate. I thought this for three long, meagre years, old friend, and I'm sorry. After that, I suppose there isn't any need for me to say more, except that you are an old fool for not saying you were going to spend your money and your time and reputation trying to put my halo back on straight! I doubt if I was worth it, and you knew that; but let it pass, for we have other fish to fry.

"The nubbin of the matter is this: There is only one good gold mine left in this weary world—and I have it. It's the sweetest wildcat I ever struck, and we stand the finest show in the world of starving to death if we tackle it without sufficient capital to go through. It will take at least thirty thousand dollars, and we ought to have double that to play safe. I do not know whether you have, or can raise, sixty cents, but at any rate I am going to put the buck up to you and you can take a look.

"This is a pretty fair country, Jack—if you survive long enough to get used to it. At first you think it's Paradise; then you grow to hate it and know it for hell with the lid off; and finally all your early love for it returns and you become what I am now—a tropical tramp! There is only one social stratum lower than mine, and that's the tropical beachcomber. I am not that—yet; and will not be if my landlady will continue to listen to my blandishments. She is a sweet soul, with a divine disposition, and I am duly grateful.

"I would tell you all about the geography, topography, flora and fauna of Sobrante, but you can ascertain that in detail by consulting any standard encyclopedia. Governmentally the country is similar to its sister republics. It's a cold day indeed when two patriots, two vivas and a couple of old Long Tom Springfield rifles cannot upset the Sobrante apple cart. We haven't had a revolution for nearly six months, but we have hopes.

"I am addressing you at the Engineers' club, in the hope that my letter may reach you there, or perhaps the secretary will know your address and forward it to you. If you are footloose and still entertain a lingering regard for your old pal, get busy on this mining concession P. D. Q. Time is the essence of the contract, because I am holding on to the thin edge of nothing, and if we have a change of government I may lose even that. I need you, John Stuart Webster, worse than I need salvation. I enclose you a list of equipment required.

"If you receive this letter and can do anything for me, please cable. If you cannot, please cable anyway. Do let me hear from you, Jack, if only to tell me the old entente cordiale still exists. I know now that I was considerable of a heedless pup a few years ago and overlooked my hand quite regularly, but now that I have a good thing I do not know of anybody with whom I care to share it except your own genial self. Please let me hear from you.

"Affectionately,
"BILLY."

Jerome finished reading this remarkable communication; then with infinite amusement he regarded John Stuart Webster over the tops of his glasses as one who examines a new and interesting species of bug.

"So Billy loves that dear Sobrante, eh?" he said with abysmal sarcasm. "Jack Webster, listen to a sane man and be guided accordingly. I was in this same little Buenaventura once. I was there for three days, and I wouldn't have been there three minutes if I could have caught a steamer out sooner. Of all the miserable, squalid, worthless, ornery, stinking holes on the face of God's green footstool, Sobrante is the worst—if one may judge it by its capital city. Are you going to chase off to this God-forsaken fever-hole at the behest of a lad scarcely out of his swaddling clothes? Jack Webster, surely you aren't going to throw yourself away—give up the sure thing I offer you—to join Billy Geary in Sobrante and finance a wildcat prospect without a certificate of title attached. Be reasonable. What did you wire that confounded boy?"

"That I was coming."

"Cable him you've changed your mind. We'll send him some money to come home, and you can give him a

"Cable Him You've Changed Your Mind."

good job under you. I'll O. K. the voucher and charge it to your personal expense account."

"That's nice of you, old sport, and I thank you kindly. I'll talk to Billy when I arrive in Buenaventura, and if the prospect doesn't look good to me, I'll argue him out of it and we'll come home. Let me go. I might come back. But I must go. I want to see Billy."

"You just said a minute ago you'd turned the forty-year post," Jerome warned him. "And you're now going to lose a year or two more in which you might better be engaged laying up a foundation of independence for your old age. For Heaven's sake, man, don't be a fool."

"Oh, but I will be a fool," John Stuart Webster answered; and possibly, by this time, the reader has begun to understand the potency of his middle name—the Scotch are notoriously pigheaded, and Mr. Webster had just enough oatmeal in his blood to have come by that center fire name honestly. "And you, you poor old horse, you could not possibly understand why, if you lived to be a million years old."

He got up from his chair to the full height of his six-feet-one, and stretched 190 pounds of bone and muscle.

"And so I shall go to Sobrante and lose all of this all-important money, shall I?" he jeered. "Then by all the gods of the Open Country, I hope I may. Dad burn you, Neddy, I'm not a Methuselah. I want some fun in life. I want to fight and be broke and go hungry and then make money for the love of making it and spending it, and I want to live a long time yet. I want to see the mirage across the sagebrush and hear it whisper: 'Hither, John Stuart Webster! Hither, you fool, and I'll hornswoggle you again, as in an elder day I hornswoggled you before.'"

Jerome shook his white thatch hopelessly.

"I thought you were a great mining engineer, John," he said sadly, "but you're not. You're a poet. You do not seem to care for money."

"Make it $10,000 and I will guarantee to deliver the man within 90 days."

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STYLES ARE QUICKLY COPIED

Ultra Fashionable Attire Has but a Short Life in These Days of Clever Imitations.

When great dressmakers tell their fine customers that a particular style of dress is now "out of fashion" they do not mean that it is now rarely seen, but that it is seen everywhere and has in fact "become common," says the Spectator, London. They mean that a crowd of women who cannot afford to pay for novelty, but can afford all the pretty things a week after the fair, when they are no longer startling, are dressing up in them "to admiration," are rivaling, are sometimes bettering those who first had them, and making it necessary that these latter should fling them aside and prepare to cut a new figure. The same thing is true about men to a less extent, the exact degree of studied negligence or precision in the attire of the well dressed varying in proportion as the "reach-me-downs" become facsimiles.

Every year the crowds of those who copy become larger. They follow hard upon the heels of their models, who double and twist as they realize that their pursuers are gaining upon them, making now and then a feint of imitating their imitators in order to gain time. It used to be easy to guess a woman's place in the world by her clothes. Mayfair and Hampstead did not look alike. The working girl and the girl at leisure could be instantly recognized as such. At present it is a nice question to decide who is who by appearances and clothes offer an uncertain indication, not only of fortune and station, but even of age and honesty.

HIS BLINDNESS NO HANDICAP

English Botanist Rose to Heights of Fame, Though Sight Failed Him In Early Life.

Mr. J. G. Wilkinson, the famous blind botanist, lost his sight in his early life. "During all my painting," he said, "I had always been much attracted by trees and plants, so I got Percy Grimshaw to take me to the Temple Newsam woods, outside Leeds, to a favorite beech tree there, and I asked him to pluck for me a leaf of it. He did so, and with my tongue I began to touch every part of this leaf, and so got its various details and characteristics thoroughly into my head, till I was sure I could recognize a beech leaf anywhere. From that I began studying leaves from other trees in a similar manner, until I could pick out any of them at once from the mixed lot you gave me. * * * Now (I hope I may say it with all modesty), there is not a leaf, stem, fruit or flower of any plant or tree in the British islands which I do not know, and should not be able to recognize immediately I had touched it with my tongue, even if not with my hands."

Why Wear Shoes?

Eve was reputedly barefoot, and Nausicaa played ball all the better because she was unshod. Helen of Troy at the most wore sandals, and the sandal is the compromise between the shoeless and the shod. It is easier to make sandals than to make boots. In Ireland and Scotland the children have run barefoot for many a day, and the wit of one and the enterprise of the other show that there is nothing really demoralizing in going without shoes and stockings, remarks the London Chronicle.

In Grant's Cabinet.

President Grant had two secretaries of state: Elihu B. Washburn of Illinois was appointed March 5, 1869, but resigned six days later to accept the post of ambassador to France. Hamilton Fish succeeded Washburn. He was reappointed at the beginning of Grant's second term and remained to its end.

A Straight Tip.

"I have something I have to ask you—er— something —er—very—close to my heart, and—er—er—" "I think I can guess what it is!" "Ah, you have divined! You know—you—er—" "Yes, you want to ask me where I put your hat when you came in!"

Earthquakes.

In some countries particular forms of cloud are alleged to forebode earthquakes, and there is a widespread belief that earthquake shocks produce mist, fog and rain. The idea that barometric fluctuations are connected with earthquakes rests upon a much more substantial foundation.

Sham Worse Than Real.

There are real cynics and people who merely say disagreeable things because they think them funny.—Boston Transcript.

SIX MONTHS I COULD NOT WORK

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Made Me Strong and Able to Work—I Recommend It To All My Friends.

Bayonne, N. J.—"I had pains in back and legs so that I could not stand caused by female trouble. I felt so tired all the time, had bad headaches, and for six months I could not work. I was treated by a physician and took other remedies but got no relief. A friend told me about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and it has helped me very much I am well and strong and now able to do my work. I cannot thank you enough and I recommend your medicine to my friends who are sick."—Mrs. SUSIE SACATANSKY, 25 East 17th St., Bayonne, N. J.

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All places are distant from heaven, alike.—Burton.

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A crooked log makes a good fire.—French Proverb.

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The cup that cheers was a noisy piece of property.

Find the Cause!

It isn't right to drag along feeling miserable—half sick. Find out what is making you feel so badly and try to correct it. Perhaps your kidneys are causing that throbbing backache or those sharp, stabbing pains. You may have morning lameness, too, headaches, dizzy spells and irregular kidney action. Use *Doan's Kidney Pills*. They have helped thousands of ailing folks. Ask your neighbor!

An Idaho Case

Mrs. W. H. Palmer, 615 W. Pacific St., Blackfoot, Idaho, says: "My back was lame and sore and to lift anything caused sharp, darting pains through my kidneys. I would also have dizzy spells and nervous headaches. I knew the trouble was from my kidneys, by the way they acted. Doan's Kidney Pills were the best remedy for that trouble. They cured the complaint quickly."

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MAYOR INSPECTS NEW TAXI FLEET

Mayor Hylan and Grover Whalen, commissioner of plants and structur , inspecting the new fleet of taxicabs bought by the department for use of city officials. The cars will be parked in the rear of the Municipal building and will be in charge of a dispatcher. The cars will be assigned only on a requisition signed by the head of a department.

JACK PULLS OUT MIRED MACHINE

It Often Happens That Automobilist Gets His Car Into Deep Mud Hole.

IMPLEMENT VERY EFFECTIVE

In Case Auto Is Not Too Firmly Imbedded or Stalled It Can Be Brought to Solid Ground Without Much Difficulty.

Sometimes the automobilist accidentally gets his car in such a position in a mud hole, over a bank, or in a similar predicament, that the power of the car has no effect in helping itself out. In that case, where the car is not too firmly imbedded or stalled, the wheel-jack can be brought to the rescue. A tree or post and some rope are also required.

Loop Rope Around Tree.

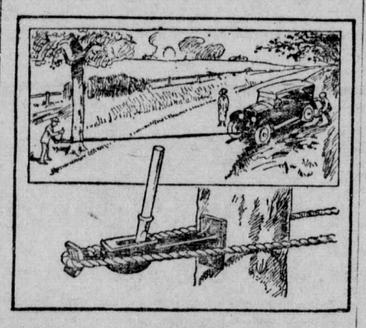
Lash the rope to the necessary axle and loop it loosely about the tree or post. Then carry it back to the car and lash the remaining end to the same axle.

Now take the jack and shorten it up as much as possible and set it between the tree and the ropes, away from the car.

If too much slack occurs, take it up by retying one end of the rope on the axle.

Block the Wheels.

When in the proper position, extend the jack as far as it will go. If this has caused the car to move, block the wheels. If not, compress the jack again and take up any resulting slack in the rope.



With the Jack Pulling Against the Rope, the Car Is Very Easily Hauled Out of the Mud.

Repeat this operation as frequently as necessary, blocking the car each time so it will not return to its old position. In time it can be pulled out to the road again.

Place jack as low down on tree as possible so leverage of pulling will not tend to pull the tree itself.—Popular Science Monthly.

TAKE RATTLES OUT OF HOOD

Noise May Be Silenced by Drilling Series of Holes in Band and Tying With Leather.

A hood that has a tendency to rattle with the vibration of the motor may be silenced by drilling a series of holes in the band of metal on which the hood rests and threading a strip of leather through the holes. In this way the hood rests on leather instead of metal, so that it cannot make a noise.

ARRANGING TOOLS IN GARAGE

Splendid Idea to Give Device a Number and Place in Corresponding Number in Rack.

An admirable idea in the arrangement of tools in the home garage is to give each tool a number, which is painted on it. The same number is painted on the walls or racks in the place where the tool belongs. In this way it is a simple matter to return each tool to its proper place, so that it is ready when it is next needed.

TIRE TREAD DESIGN IS VERY IMPORTANT

Has Much to Do With Ease of Steering a Car.

Especially So on Large Machines Where Contact With Road Surface Is Broad—Two Styles of Tires Complicates Matters.

The tread design of an automobile tire may be a matter of small consequence to the driver of a small car, but every driver of a heavy car knows that the tread configuration has a good deal to do with the ease with which the car may be steered.

On the smaller cars the area of the tread that is in contact with the road surface is so small that an improper design may cause little trouble. But when a heavy car settles down on its tires, the driver finds himself called on for the exercise of constant attention and effort to keep the car from swerving off the road, if the tread design is improper type.

One point on which all motorists agree is that the tires on the rear wheels should be of a good non-skid pattern and that the front tires should have a tread design that will keep them running ahead in a straight line with a minimum of steering effort on the part of the driver.

The ideal tire tread is one that can be used with equally good results on any wheel, either front or back. Given such a tire a motorist need carry only one spare, and his car is always evenly balanced, no matter what tire changes he makes. But if one style tread is used on the front wheels and another on the rear, the motorist will usually carry two spares, one of each type. Having two types furnishes a further complication when it is desired to shift partly-worn tires from the hardworking rear wheels to the front wheels, in order to get a few thousand miles more wear out of them before they go to the scrap heap. The non-skids used on the rear may not be suited for front wheel purposes.

AUTOMOBILE NEWS

New York state averages one motor-truck to each 8.3 farms.

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Taxicabs in Paris are known for their speed and erratic courses.

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It is a known fact that next to people, dogs are "craziest" about motor-car riding.

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The increase in passenger automobile production last year was 78.9 per cent over 1918.

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On a long, steady drive the fuel consumption may be cut down enormously by a careful use of the accelerator.

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Almost every car owner today knows that oil or grease is very bad for rubber, acting as a solvent and destroying the material.

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In California the paying of a bonus by automobile dealers to chauffeurs (to influence the sale of cars or supplies) is strictly forbidden.

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Drivers of racing cars are known for their attention to detail and one of the apparently minor items looked after is the balance of the wire wheels.

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If you're going to make a long tour this summer don't wait until the last minute to begin getting things ready Overhaul your car thoroughly before you start.

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Spark plug porcelains may be freed of all carbonaceous or other foreign matter by soaking them in a solution of carbon disulphide, obtainable at any drug store

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A Way Around.

Wife—Dear, can you give me some money for a poor, deserving woman who wants to go to church, but who hasn't clothes enough to go in?

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Wife—It's me.

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"Mother, we'd better go to bed. These people want to go home."

Little Amenities.

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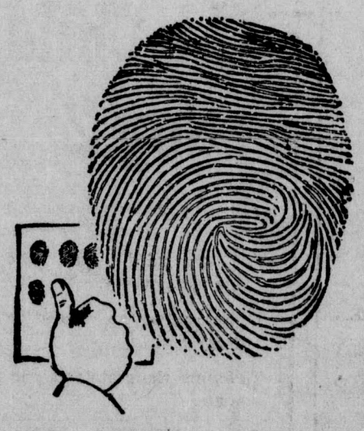

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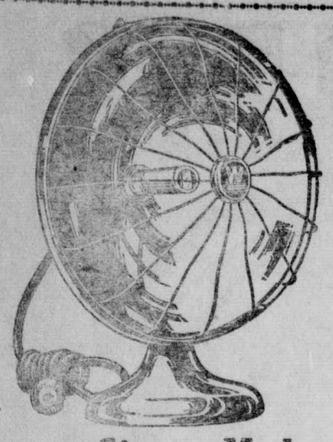

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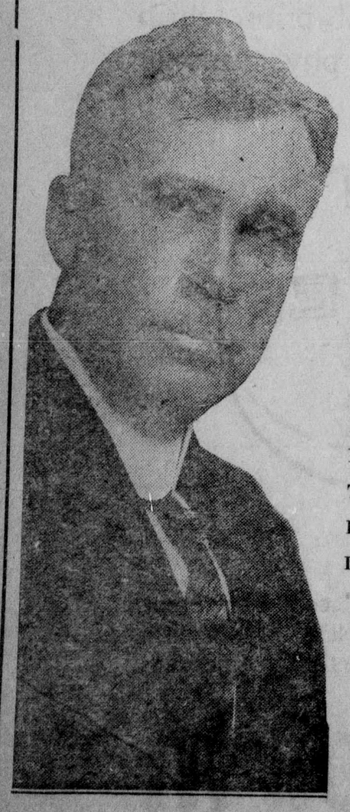

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JUDGE ALBERT LEE STEPHENS

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DETRIMENTAL TO BOTH WIFE AND HUSBAND
VOTE AGAINST PROPOSITION NO 13

Operation of this Measure in California Would :

BE AGAINST THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE WIFE,
Make her responsible for half the debts.
Decrease her share by extra probate proceedings.
Pit husband against wife.
Make divorce necessary in many cases.
Necessitate marriage contracts.
Place marriage on a commercial basis.

BE AGAINST THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE HUSBAND,
Cut his credit by half.
Give him strange business partners.
Force settlement of debts when wife dies.
Restrict his power to fulfill his duty.
Remove all sentiment and ideals from marriage.

BE AGAINST THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE HOME.
Decrease the credit of the family.
Work to disinherit the children.
Place premium on secret withdrawal of consent to will.
Divide responsibility.
Admit bargain and barter and destroy confidence.
Place the interests of the wife paramount to the home.
Destroy home ideals.

The Business and Social Interests of the State Ask You to Vote Against Proposition Number 13.

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HARTLEY SHAW

CANDIDATE FOR

Superior Court Judge

(SHORT TERM)

HIS RECORD :

23 years active practice of law in this County; 6 years Chief Deputy District Attorney in charge of all civil law business of this County; 3 years Assistant City Attorney of Los Angeles;

Endorsed by Anti-Saloon League, United Church Brotherhoods of Los Angeles and Pasadena, and other organizations;

Endorsed by more than 600 leading attorneys of this County and by many other citizens.

An eminent Jurist of Los Angeles, in discussing the candidacy of Hartley Shaw, said: "It is of supreme public importance that Hartley Shaw should be elected Judge of the Superior Court. Should he fail of election it would be a great misfortune."

We fully agree with this statement and urge every voter to go to the polls on Tuesday next and vote for HARTLEY SHAW: Isadore B. Rockweiler, Mrs. Chas. H. Toll, Edw. W. Dickey, Mrs. Chester C. Ashley, H. W. O'Melveny, John W. Kemp, Geo. I. Kemp, Geo. I. Cochran, G. M. Skidmore, Oliver O. Clark, T. E. Newlin, Frank S. Hutton, Walter Bordwell, Motley H. Flint, Irwin J. Muma, W. B. Mathews, Dr. Walter Lindley, Geo. F. Bovard, John D. Fredericks, H. W. Frank, L. G. Guernsey, Frank R. Strong, Marshall Stimson.

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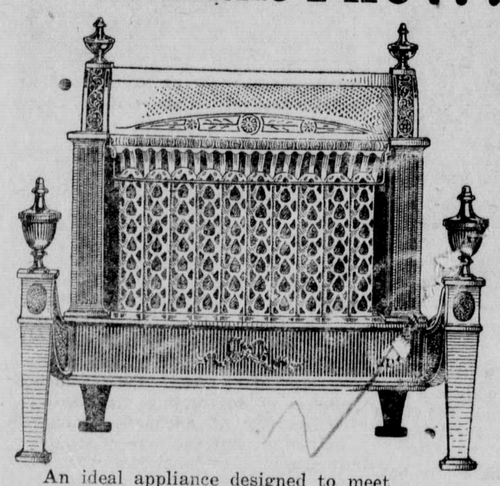

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Vote "NO" on Amendment No. 20

(Single Tax)

This election we have a chance to do more than just defeat the single tax. We can defeat continuous agitation of th subject.

Let's put an end to faddists tampering with taxation once for all

Vote "YES" on Amendment No. 4

This amendment is placed on the ballot with the sole purpose of preventing faddists from tampering with the assessment and collection of taxes every two years.

It does not affect the initiative, except in reference to taxes. It does not affect initiative measures that have to do with proposed bond issues that are put up by the initiative.

It is solely for the purpose of preventing California from being made the dumping ground for all the freak laws which have failed elsewhere.

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You need him

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—a man alive to the producing and transportation problems of landowners—because he can talk as a landowner.

—a man with a record of big results actually accomplished for California—one who stands on his record.

You have such a man now—keep him!

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U.S. Senator

REMEMBER TO VOTE FOR

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REPUBLICAN

For United States Senate

VAN DE WATER

REPUBLICAN

For Congress, Ninth District

SENATOR HARDING

MARION, OHIO, OCT. 5 20
J L MATHEWS
REPUBLICAN STATE COMMITTEE
LOS ANGELES
MCCORMICK HAS SENT ME YOUR TELEGRAM. I HAVE NO HESITANCY IN SAYING THAT THE LEMON GROWING INTERESTS OF CALIFORNIA, INCLUDIN THE LABORERS THEREIN, AND INDEED ALL HORTICULTURAL UNDERTAKINGS NEEDING PROTECTION HAVE NO ASSURANCE OF RELIEF EXCEPT BY CASTING THEIR VOTES FOR REPUBLICAN REPRESENTATIVES TO CONGRESS.
WARREN G. HARDING.

SENATOR JOHNSON

The big issue in this campaign, only second in importance to the success of our presidential candidate, is the election of the United States Senators. In the forefront of the fight, valiantly battling for Americanism from the inception of the contest, has stood the Republican nominee for the United States Senator, Samuel M. Shortridge. Mr. Shortridge possesses an ability second to none; he has the wisdom of statesmanship. When it was neither profitable nor popular, with rare courage he fought the good fight upon this campaign's dominant issue, and endeared himself to those, who in the recent months of stress, have ever had first in mind our own Republic. In fair, upstanding fight he won his nomination. He is entitled to the support of all Republicans, as he has earned the gratitude of all Americans. Our success this year will be incomplete unless we send to the Senate Samuel M. Shortridge.

GOVERNOR STEPHENS

The Republican party believes in a protective tariff policy. The Democratic party does not. Consequently, it is the duty of California to do its full share in changing the National administration to a protective tariff administration.

And that we may get all the good possible out of such a change we must send to the Senate of the United States another Republican senator in the person of Samuel M. Shortridge, who is well qualified to advocate the interests of California at Washington, and also must we increase our Republican membership in the House of Representatives from six to nine.

If you are going to vote for HARDING and COOLIDGE it is not fair to them to vote for a Democratic Senator or Congressman who will antagonize the great Republican legislation of reconstruction necessary during the next four years.

The REPUBLICAN TICKET

America needs a COMPLETE change of administration in national affairs.

Warren G. Harding, as President, MUST have a Republican United States Senate and House of Representatives to support him. Therefore, at the election on Tuesday, November 2nd, STAMP your ballot as marked below with X

ALFRED L. BARTLETT, Chairman.
Republican County Central Committee.

The names of Harding and Coolidge will not appear on the ballot. To vote for Harding and Coolidge for President and Vice-President, vote for the following Presidential Republican Electors:

JOHN H. ROSSETER, Republican	
W. I. HOLLINGSWORTH, Republican	
A. H. HEWITT, Republican	
A. J. MATHEWS, Republican	
GEORGE M. FRANCIS, Republican	
MRS. EDWARD F. GLASER, Republican	
LAWRENCE J. FLAHERTY, Republican	
C. C. YOUNG, Republican	
WYLIE M. GIFFEN, Republican	
MRS. CHARLES C. TEAGUE, Republican	
GEORGE R. DAVIS, Republican	
MRS. D. C. STEPHENS, Republican	
ED FLETCHER, Republican	

Top of group — A cross (X) stamped in this square **X** shall be counted for each name of the group to the left. — End of group

CONGRESSIONAL

United States Senator — Vote for One

SAMUEL M. SHORTRIDGE, Republican	

Representative in Congress, Ninth District — Vote for One

CHARLES F. VAN DE WATER, Republican	

LEGISLATIVE

State Senator Thirty-Fifth District — Vote for One

HENRY W. WRIGHT, Republican	

Member of the Assembly Sixty-Ninth District — Vote for One

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Its Sort.

"I hear the newest style of dancing is called 'the Cat Step.'"

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Stops Hair Coming Out: Doubles Its Beauty.

A few cents buys "Danderine." After an application of "Danderine" you can not find a fallen hair or any dandruff, besides every hair shows new life, vigor, brightness, more color and thickness.—Adv.

Hates Carving.

Mrs. Green—My husband hates carving.

Mr. Brassie—I noticed that it makes him mad to slice his ball.

Catarrh Can Be Cured

Catarrh is a local disease greatly influenced by constitutional conditions. It therefore requires constitutional treatment. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE destroys the foundation of the disease, gives the patient strength by improving the general health and assists nature in doing its work.
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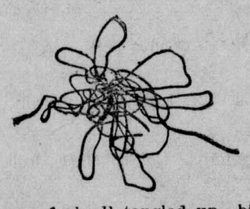
A Tempus Fugit-ive.

"What does that poor woman's husband do for a living?"

"Mostly time, I believe."

CASCARETS

"They Work while you Sleep"



Do you feel all tangled up—bilious, constipated, headachy, nervous, full of cold? Take Cascarets tonight for your liver and bowels to straighten you out by morning. Wake up with head clear, stomach right, breath sweet and feeling fine. No griping, no inconvenience. Children love Cascarets too. 10, 25, 50 cents.—Adv.

Smart.

He—Isn't that a beautiful girl?"

She—Oh, yes! She's vogue on the outside and vague inside.—Cartoons Magazine.

Red Cross Care of Disabled Soldiers

TEACHING THE BLIND

AN HOUR OF RECREATION

IN THE SUN PARLOR

Photo by Harris & Ewing

WHAT the American Red Cross does for the comfort of disabled World war veterans in the United States public health service hospitals resembles in many ways the daily care of a mother for her children. It is individual, it is friendly and it goes far beyond recreation and entertainment.

For, if there is any time "when a feller needs a friend," it is the period when a disabled soldier is trying to find himself after his world has been turned upside down. No matter how self-sufficient and self-reliant the veteran has been before he went through "Sherman's Hell," he needs help then—in fact, the more he relied on himself the more he is apt to need services. And it is often the case that the veteran needs help quite as much to protect him from himself as from the world in general. For many of these fine fellows are not themselves, it must be remembered, and will not be themselves for many a day.

And many of them are without ties of any kind—literally without kin and available friends. So the service these disabled veterans receive from the "Greatest Mother" is literally without money and without price.

Red Cross workers in the hospitals are in personal touch with each man from the time he enters the receiving ward until he is discharged. Why? There are troubles to be straightened out in connection with the compensation money the government owes him for his disability; reading matter, writing material and other incidentals to be supplied; checks to be cashed, and letters to be written to the people back home. Whatever the service—buying a toothbrush or untangling a love affair—the patients find Red Cross workers ready for help. The work is not spectacular, yet it is essential to their welfare and content.

The United States public health service was given the responsibility of providing hospital and sanatorium treatment for the sick and disabled discharged soldiers, sailors and marines a year ago last March. By a recent ruling of congress additional provision has been made for the treatment of the men in soldiers' homes and available army and navy hospitals.

When the public health service hospitals were opened, it was recognized that the medical care and attention of the doctors and nurses was not all that was necessary for the recovery of the men. They must have recreation and comforts and must be linked up with their homes. The service was prevented by legal limitations from supplying such conveniences and the American Red Cross was asked to take part in the work. Through this arrangement thousands of service men were assured that in their fight against sickness or disability the interest of the "Greatest Mother" would not wane.

In May, 1919, there were twenty-five hospitals being operated by the public health service. Today there are fifty, with six scheduled soon to open. The original bed capacity has been increased five times. With the expansion of the work, the Red Cross has increased its activities and at present is providing medical social service in all hospitals of the public health service.

It has furnished hospital supplies, clothing for the men and material for bead work, basketry and other forms of occupational therapy. It maintains workers in the offices of the district supervisors of the public health service, where the men are interviewed and examined and where they file their claims for disability. The staff of Red Cross workers in the supervisor's office in Boston, for instance, comes in contact with about 2,000 men every month.

In public and private hospitals and sanatoria under contract with the public health service about 9,600 men are receiving treatment. In most of these places the Red Cross maintains workers, who frequently discover men entitled to receive treatment from the government, but who have never even heard of the plans made for their care. In the near future there will be 15,000 beds in contract hospitals available for ex-service men and 13,000 soldiers' homes and army and navy hospitals.

Of the 50,000 service men suffering from nervous and mental diseases as a result of the war, there are thousands whom the government is trying to locate. Red Cross workers have been helpful in identifying some of them who have turned up in state hospitals for the insane. This not only helps the government find the lost men to whom it owes a great debt, but also relieves untold anxiety of many a mother and family.

Here is Surgeon General Hugh S. Cumming's tribute to the Red Cross at the completion of a year's work:

"I wish to request that the Red Cross consent to continue this very valuable service."

Commenting on the different phases of Red Cross help, Surgeon General Cumming says:

"A careful analysis of the assistance given by the American Red Cross to the public health service in the discharge of its obligations to the beneficiaries of the service makes it very clear both from the standpoint of hospital efficiency and benefit to individual patients, the most important is the medical social service."

To get an idea of the scope and value of medical social service, it is necessary to follow a disabled ex-service man through his hospital career.

In the receiving ward he finds a member of the Red Cross staff. She obtains from him information which is of use to her in helping him get his disability-pay or the government allowance due his family. Often the man brings a note from the home service worker in his home town, indicating some special need.

After the man has become established in the hospital he is visited every day by one of the Red Cross ward workers. To her he can appeal for any service which it is impossible for the other attendants to give. She will write home for him, help him in renewing his War Risk insurance or perform any errands he may want.

If it develops that the man is worrying about conditions at home, everything possible is done through the Red Cross chapter in the home town to assist the family in straightening out its tangles. The man is kept informed of the progress of what is being done.

If suddenly he opens a letter and finds a check for $1,500 or $2,000, the back pay due him for his disability—more money perhaps than he has ever had at one time before—the Red Cross worker advises him about starting a bank account.

If the man is not confined to bed, he can find recreation and entertainment in the Red Cross house, where there are books, billiard and indoor tennis tables, cards and other games, writing material and perhaps music.

On certain evenings he can attend entertainments given on the stage of the Red Cross house under Red Cross auspices, by the Elks, or an American Legion post, the Knights of Columbus or the War Camp Community Service. Parties and picture shows in the wards are also furnished, with occasional excursions when convalescence comes.

If the man is seriously ill, his family is sent for and provided with accommodations in the Red Cross house, so that they may be near him day and night.

Finally, when he is ready to leave the hospital, he is advised about further medical care and the opportunities for training provided by the federal board for vocational education. He is directed to go to the Red Cross headquarters nearest his home town for further service, if it is needed. The local Red Cross is at the same time notified that the man is returning home and may still have problems which call for advice and suggestions.

Just as the Red Cross stood beside the service man through training in this country and in his life overseas, it is still at his call to aid in the struggle for readjustment to normal life.

If the friends and relatives of the boys in the hospitals wish to know about their condition and what is being done for them, a letter addressed to the American Red Cross in the public health service hospitals where they are being treated will receive careful attention.

Had Figured It Out.

Davey stole a penny from his baby brother and his mother caught him at it. She locked him up in the clothes closet, telling him to think things over and try to decide what should be done in the way of punishment.

Ten minutes later the mother heard a light tapping on the closet door. Upon opening it, Davey walked out, wearing a solemn expression upon his face.

"Well," asked his mother, "have you decided?"

"I've been thinking and thinking," he replied, "and I think that Jesus wouldn't like you very well if you whipped your little boy."—Columbus Dispatch.

Unselfish Devotion?

"Talk about unselfish devotion!"

"Well?"

"Jibway will drop his business at any time and spend a day helping his wife hunt for a cook."

"Umph! That isn't unselfish devotion. Jibway eats at home."

BETTER HIGHWAYS

FEDERAL ROAD BUILDING AID

Highway Construction Hampered by Transportation Difficulties and Lack of Material.

In addition to $19,000,000 for forest road construction, congress has made available to July 1, 1920, the sum of $275,000,000 for federal aid roads. Of this sum $175,000,000 was available up to and including June 30, 1920. Of this amount the states had made application covering $152,193,040 as of April 30. This federal aid is to apply

Surface Treatment of Macadam Road With Bituminous Material and Stone Chips.

on 27,796 miles of road estimated to cost $355,754,799. As of May 1st 13,540 miles of federal aid road were under construction, involving over $86,000,000 in federal aid. The total mileage of completed road built under the federal aid law since it became operative in 1916 is 4,301.15 miles, as of May 1, 1920, an average rate of construction of over 1,000 miles a year.

The difficulties of transportation, the lack of materials, the insufficient number of contracting organizations, the scarcity of adequate equipment and the general shortage of engineering personnel in connection with highway construction during the past two years have reduced road building activities to about 3-7 of the full program. The bureau of public roads, United States department of agriculture is ready, the states are ready, the funds are available to push highway construction on a 100 per cent program as soon as the national economic conditions will warrant.

MAINTENANCE OF DIRT ROAD

Essential That No Water Be Permitted to Remain on Surface—Repair Ruts Quickly.

To maintain an earth road so that it will adequately take care of heavy traffic it is essential first that no water be allowed to stand on the road surface or in the ditches, and secondly that defects occurring in the surface be repaired immediately and in a manner that will form a crust sufficient to maintain the loads and resist the wear caused by traffic.

The first can be accomplished only by grading and draining the road in a manner that will permit water to drain quickly from the surface after every rain, and the second by adding clay and sand in the proper proportions as required, shaping up the surface with a light grader, and keeping the traveled surface smooth and even with the road planer, after which the earth surface eventually becomes smooth and impervious to water. The result is an extremely satisfactory road at a very low cost to the public.

SAVE KANSAS MANY DOLLARS

Engineering Experiment Station Tests All Materials to Be Used in Road Building.

The road materials laboratory of the Kansas engineering experiment station is in charge of the testing of all materials for use on federal aid roads in the state of Kansas. More than 75 car loads of defective cement and bricks submitted for test in the past year have been rejected, thus saving the state many thousands of dollars.

FINANCING SYSTEM OF ROADS

Proper Procedure of County or District Is Matter Open for Much Discussion.

Just how a county or district should proceed to finance a system of roads is a matter open for discussion. It depends upon how rapidly they need them and upon how well they are able to pay, in other words on their valuation and the cost of the work contemplated.

Crown for Earth Roads.

Well maintained earth roads need very little crown. The wider and flatter the earth road, the better, if it has good drainage and is kept constantly smooth.

To Control Weevils.

Clean grain bins carefully before putting grain into them, to control grain-weevils.

Provide Plenty of Water.

Provide plenty of water for your stock and the birds.

Kill That Cold With

HILL'S CASCARA QUININE BROMIDE

FOR Colds, Coughs AND La Grippe

Neglected Colds are Dangerous

Take no chances. Keep this standard remedy handy for the first sneeze.

Breaks up a cold in 24 hours—Relieves Grippe in 3 days—Excellent for Headache

Quinine in this form does not affect the head—Cascara is best Tonic Laxative—No Opiate in Hill's.

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MURINE FOR YOUR EYES Night and Morning. *Have Strong, Healthy Eyes.* If they Tire, Itch, Smart or Burn, if Sore, Irritated, Inflamed or Granulated, use Murine often. Soothes. Refreshes. Infant or Adult. At all Druggists. Free Eye Book. Murine Eye Remedy Co., Chicago.

An Improvement.

"Has prohibition helped your husband any?"

"I can't say that it has. But I will say this for him, since he's taken to drinking perfumes and toilet waters his breath smells a whole lot sweeter."

May Grow Square Trees

English School of Forestry Has Made the Discovery That the Process Is a Simple One.

A method of growing square trees has been discovered by the school of forestry at Cambridge, England.

Such trees have not yet been grown on a commercially profitable scale, but one specimen of the oblong tree exists in the school and it is said to have helped in the discovery of the secret of such growth. The trunk is 30 inches thick and is more like an artificially-cut board than a tree trunk.

Its curious shape was due to no more than a little bruise or two which persuaded it to grow vigorously in one direction and not at all in any other. A similar bruise on another trunk made it grow a round table top of beautifully-patterned wood, vastly harder than the normal tree, in spite of the fact that it grew very much more quickly.

Other discoveries and experiments prove that an artistic bruise, it may be no more violent than strong pressure with the fingertips, can make a tree expand in a desired direction, just as an insect by a little juice or well-directed puncture can create a gall or curl a leaf.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Sufficient Excuse.

Jimmie's teacher asked him why he was late, and he replied: "Nobody waked up, 'cause the wakeup bell in the clock didn't ring."

Our Woman's Department

¶ This Department is edited by Julia Bottomley, Associate Editor of the Ladies' Home Journal, and Nellie Maxwell, a National authority on Domestic Economy, for the pleasure and profit of the Ladies of Sierra Madre and vicinity.—J. F. Whiting, Editor

THE KITCHEN CABINET

"One ship goes east and another west
While the self-same breezes blow.
It's the set of the sails and not the gales
That bids them where to go.
Like the winds of the air are the ways of the fates
As we journey along through life;
It's the set of the soul that decides the goal
And not the storms or the strife."

DAINTY RAMEKIN DISHES.

The individual ramekins are best adapted for all kinds of souffles, escalloped and deviled mixtures.

Sweetbread Ramekins.—Clean and parboil a sweetbread and cut in cubes. Melt two tablespoonfuls of flour and pour on gradually one cupful of chicken stock. Reheat the sweetbread in the sauce and add one-quarter of a cupful of heavy cream and one and one-half teaspoonfuls of beef extract. Season with salt, paprika and lemon juice. Fill the ramekin dishes, cover with crumbs, well buttered, and bake until the crumbs are brown.

Curried Sweetbreads.—Prepare the sweetbreads by soaking them in cold water, to which a tablespoonful of lemon juice or vinegar has been added. Remove and drop into cold water. When cold cut in circular pieces. Fry a sliced onion in two tablespoonfuls of butter or olive oil until lightly colored. Add two tablespoonfuls of flour; cook until well blended; add a cupful and a half of chicken stock and cook until thickened. Strain, season with salt, pepper, a teaspoonful of curry and a tablespoonful of tarragon vinegar or lemon juice. Let the sauce cook a moment; add the sweetbreads, turn into individual ramekins and bake about thirty minutes.

Date Fluff-Duff.—Stew one cupful of dates until tender, first removing the stones. Put through a colander and mix with a cupful of sugar that has been mixed with a teaspoonful of cream of tartar. Beat the whites of five eggs, add a pinch of salt and when very stiff add the yolks of two and whip again. Mix lightly a little at a time, with the dates and sugar, and place in a buttered dish or ramekin. Sprinkle with one-half cupful of chopped nuts and bake fifteen minutes. Serve with whipped or plain cream.

Any creamed fish, meat or vegetable, if well seasoned, covered with crumbs which have been well buttered, makes a nice hot dish for luncheon or supper.

I'm glad the stars are over me
And not beneath my feet,
Where I should trample on them
Like cobbles in the street.
I think it is a happy thing
That they were set so far:
It's best to have to look up high
When you would see a star!
—Annette Wynne.

TIMELY SUGGESTIONS.

A good workman takes care of his tools and takes pride in keeping them in good condition.

Such utensils as turn with cranks and have oil in their gearings should never be put into water up to the gearing unless soiled, then wash quickly with clear hot water, using a brush, and immediately after using, dry before putting away.

Tins, sheet iron pans and all utensils subject to rust should be carefully dried before putting away. If not used often grease lightly with unsalted fat before putting away.

Never put pans and kettles partly filled with water on the stove to soak. Fill them with cold water and soak away from the heat.

Never drop kitchen knives or bone-handled knives in the water. Wash them thoroughly with a cloth in hot suds, then rinse and rub dry.

Sieves, unless used for straining fat, should never be washed with soap, but cleaned with a brush, using soda, not soap, in the water. Graters should be cleaned at once after using with a small vegetable brush; rinse and dry before putting away.

All saucepans and utensils should be cleaned on the outside with as much care as the inside.

Add a few drops of rose water to almonds to prevent their oiling when grinding them for small cakes or confections.

Bread crumbs should be used instead of cracker crumbs for all foods to be fried, as the cracker crumbs absorb grease.

Croquettes, meat balls and such dishes may be prepared and covered with bread crumbs the day before, and fried when needed.

Let us learn this sentence by heart: Someone has said that "true hospitality consists in having what you were going to have anyway, and not changing the cloth unless you were going to anyway."

CASSEROLE DISHES.

The most appealing thing about dishes of this sort is that they can be prepared, placed in the oven at a moderate temperature and dismissed from the mind until serving time. The dish itself is placed on the table, doing away with a platter and one or two vegetable dishes usually needed, so that altogether a casserole dish is a great saving.

Cassolet of Castelnaudary.—This is a historical dish. Soak a quart of lima beans; place them in a stewpan, with water to cover, and place upon the fire. When they begin to bubble remove from the heat, cover and set aside for an hour. Drain the beans; add fresh boiling water and set the beans again on the fire. Salt and let them cook until nearly done. Put two cupfuls of cold chicken, duck or any fat fowl, the drained beans, one onion, sliced, half a cupful of strained tomato, a quart of broth and a teaspoonful of kitchen bouquet all into a casserole. Bake one hour; uncover, sprinkle with bread crumbs and a little chopped parsley; brown and serve.

Chestnuts en Casserole.—This recipe has appeared before, but is so good that it bears repeating: Remove the shells from three cupfuls of chestnuts, put into a casserole and pour over three cupfuls of highly seasoned chicken stock. Cover and cook in a slow oven for three hours, then thicken the stock with a tablespoonful each of flour and butter cooked together. Serve from the casserole.

Lamb en Casserole.—Have three steaks cut from the leg. Put in a hissing hot frying pan to sear the surface and hold in the juices. Remove from the frying pan, brush with butter, sprinkle with salt and pepper and put into a casserole dish. Add one cupful of potatoes cut in cubes, one-half cupful of string beans, three-fourths of a cupful of carrots cut in thin strips, three slices of onion, two cupfuls of stewed and strained tomatoes thickened with two tablespoonfuls of butter and flour well mixed together. Cook until the vegetables are soft and the meat tender.

It's a satisfactory working arrangement where a husband gives his wife some judicious flattery and the wife gives her husband some judicious cookery.

SMALL CAKES.

Small cakes with a cup of tea or a bit of fruit will often serve as a finish to a meal and they can always be kept on hand.

Scotch Oat Cakes.—Add six tablespoonfuls of fat to a cupful of boiling water, boil up and pour boiling hot over one pound of oatmeal, the finer ground the better. Mix well and roll out very thin, cut with a biscuit cutter and bake in a hot oven until crisp.

Favorite Cookies.—Take one cupful of shortening, one and one-half cupfuls of sugar, one-half cupful of sour milk, one teaspoonful of soda dissolved in the milk, a teaspoonful of grated nutmeg, flour enough to roll quite soft. Sprinkle each cookie as it is placed on the tin with a little granulated sugar. Bake a light brown.

Molasses Cookies.—Take three eggs, one cupful of molasses, one cupful of brown sugar, one cupful of shortening, one cupful of sour milk, two teaspoonfuls of soda. Add flour to roll. Bake in a moderate oven.

Boston Cookies.—Take one cupful of shortening, butter preferred; one and one-half cupfuls of sugar, three eggs, one tablespoonful of soda dissolved in one and one-half tablespoonfuls of hot water, three and one-fourth cupfuls of flour, one-half teaspoonful of salt, one teaspoonful of cinnamon, one cupful of chopped nuts, one-half cupful each of currants and raisins. Mix, drop and bake as usual.

Crullers.—Take one cupful of sugar, three eggs, one tablespoonful of butter, one cupful of sweet milk, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, ork lightly with as little flour as possible. Cut in oblongs, slash with a sharp knife two or three slashes evenly from the edges and fry in deep fat. Roll in powdered sugar.

Nellie Maxwell

Suits That Win Favor in Paris

In Paris there is a marked preference for extremely simple toilettes. In fact, writes a prominent fashion correspondent, the tailored costume of almost classic style is now tremendously fashionable with its long, half-fitted jacket and slender skirt, the latter either plain or plaited. A costume of this type is more representative of the real Paris fashions than anything Zouave, African, Czecho-Slovak or Egyptian. The Parisienne, therefore, may rightly claim that not all women in France are extravagant nor are all of the Paris dressmakers producing extreme effects.

Fashions are often misrepresented, and through this misrepresentation one might gather that the taste of the present-day woman is for clothes that are showy and extravagant, rather than those that are beautiful and simple. Many people, when viewing the new fashions, are inclined to talk of the things which are extreme and unusual, rather than those that are simple and refined, which latter the best-dressed women buy.

One of the new fall suits developed in plain and plaid woolen, a combination that is being emphasized in autumn collections.

The women of Paris, even those of America, are mistakes in this way, so that it would appear that the Parisienne is a slave to every delirious creation that the French couturiere may put out. A mannequin at the races wearing some bizarre costume will be immediately proclaimed to the world as wearing the latest Paris fashion, when perhaps this dress is the only one of its kind seen during the whole season in Paris.

Simplicity Sought After.

What more simple and economical than the tailored suit or blue serge dress, both of which are now and have been for some time pre-eminent in Paris fashions? What more refined than the models which the leading dressmakers create for their own private customers? That this simplicity is greatly admired and much sought, regardless of the publicity attached to the bizarre styles, is proved by the fact that certain houses in Paris who cater entirely to private trade are sought in a roundabout way by purchasers of models.

One house in particular that has a great Paris following and which because of this refuses to sell to manufacturers or dressmakers, preferring to keep their models exclusive, can and do get from their private trade from 2,000 to 3,000 francs each for their simple silk crepe dresses made without one stitch of embroidery, lace or trimming of any character. Even the hems are only hand-rolled, and the dresses, which are little more than slips with pendant cascading panels or handkerchief points, are without lining, guimpe or undersleeve. Some of these models have not even a hook. They slip on over the head and a sash ties around the waist. Yet for this simplicity and grace the discriminating Parisienne will pay 50 per cent more than for a dress with trimming, which lacks the cachet of simplicity, individuality and perfect cut.

Tailored Suits With Fur.

For the autumn there are charming tailored suits in redingote style trimmed with fur bands. Sometimes these redingotes have plaited fullness let into the skirts. Simple fall dresses also are being shown in both redingote and apron styles and new wraps are in perfectly simple outline.

In dresses many variations of the redingote appear. They may be made entirely of cloth and trimmed with coat is trimmed with skunk fur. In this model we see the beauty and grace of the suit with a very long coat. In past seasons women have declined to accept the long-coated suit, saying that it had a tendency to make one look older. This, however, is not true of the really long coat.

Another example of the redingote type is evolved from brick-red broadcloth material, and the trimming is kolinsky fur.

Ideal Dress for Street Wear.

One of the newest and most popular blue serge dresses is very much like the redingote suits in outline. It gives the effect of a skirt and a very long coat, although it is really a one-piece dress. The trimming consists of braid and a tailor's braid of the same number of the same hue as the frock. It is an evening with less for street wear in the autumn. The table w

Braid as a trimming has found considerable favor in this autumn's fashions. Dressmakers are showing great originality in their methods of using this trimming. Not content with braid alone, they have stitched it in silks of contrasting colors and applied it in ways that give the effect of new and elaborate embroideries. Often the braid is embroidered by hand.

The new square-hanging satin mantle is of the very heavy quality which is being used for street wear this fall. The trimming is moleskin, a fur which will vie with squirrel in popularity this winter.

Great Progress Made in Satin

Great stress is laid on satin for wraps of all sorts. The satin of 1920 is a striking example of the wonderful progress that has been made in the silk industry. One never would suspect it of being even a distant relative of the stiff and lustrous satins of bygone days. In past years satin coats were considered suitable for elderly ladies only, while a wrap of today's satin is youthful.

Lining silks are quite as handsome as those from which the garments themselves are made. These are beautiful Chippendale prints and mikado jacquards, both of which have radium backgrounds. The Chippendale is printed in multicolors in Japanese, butterfly, leaf and flower motifs, while the mikado jacquard is brocaded in conventional and floral designs in self-colors.

Plaits in Groups.

A strong fancy is manifested at the present time for plaits arranged in groups of ten to twelve, with plain spaces of equal size intervening. There are dresses on which the trimming consists of inserted plaited bands surrounding the skirt in rows. Many of the new printed silks are worked up in this way.

Plaid still holds an important place in the foreground of fashions. This is surprising, because anything so striking usually passes very quickly in the realm of dress. Combinations such as these are being emphasized in the autumn collection of clothes. A band of the plain cloth at the bottom of the coat shows an elaborate braided design. The bottom of the sleeves are finished in the same way.

There is also a strong tendency to combine two colors in one suit. For instance, a suit of black or very dark blue velours may have the bottom of the coat banded in this way with broadcloth or velours of a distinctly different color. The contrast is softened, however, by a great deal of trimming on the plain band. This trimming may be of braid, embroidery or bands of patent leather applied with embroidery stitches.

BOY SCOUTS

(Conducted by National Council of the Boy Scouts of America.)

WHAT SCOUTS DID IN EUROPE

Never was there another such wonderful adventure as that of the 301 Boy Scouts of America with their 57 adult leaders who represented the United States at the International Scout "Jamboree" in England. Across the Atlantic on a United States army transport, more than three weeks in merry England, a week in France, several days in Belgium, and a cruise of two weeks on another transport on the journey home, made a trip far beyond the imagination of any of the boys who made it.

Under expert guidance the places they visited and the things they saw made this the most educational journey that could be conceived. The first camp in England was at Midway park, where stands the venerable mulberry tree under which the American Declaration of Independence was first read in England, as was also the Monroe doctrine. Many times during their stay the scouts were guests of men and women of international prominence. They were banqueted by the chamber of commerce in London They visited Crystal palace, the British museum, the Tower of London; went to Warwick castle, the home of British monarchs; they visited Shakespeare's home at Stratford-on-Avon; they attended service in St. Paul's Cathedral; spent much time in Westminster abbey, and in fact saw all there was to see.

Best of all, at the jamboree they won the highest honor that was bestowed upon the delegation of any country. This highest award was given for the American scouts' scenic display, representing the history of scouting from its beginning, graphically depicting American Indian life and demonstrating all of the American scout activities.

As guests of the French government they had a wonderful week in that country. They were officially received in Paris, marched in body from the Arc d'Triomphe to the Grand Palais through a crowd of spectators six deep on both sides of the Champs Elysees. At the Grand Palais they gave a pageant of scout life before a crowd of 10,000. They visited Eiffel tower and Notre Dame cathedral. In army automobiles adorned with French and American flags they visited the principal French battlefields and placed immense wreaths in the cemeteries where are buried the American dead. Over the grave of Quentin Roosevelt they placed a floral wreath of appropriate design.

In Belgium they visited the great buildings of Brussels; visited Cardinal Mercier at Malines, and on the second day of the Olympic games in Antwerp, acted as the Guard of Honor to King Albert of Belgium.

LIMIT OF SCOUT COURTESY.

The following is an extract from the modernized "McGuffey's Third Reader," according to the Kansas City Star:

An obese gentleman slipped on the muddy walk and fell with such ferocity that if an artist had drawn the scene he would have depicted stars on the ends of wires protruding in every direction from the point where the pavement and the luckless man's person came into juxtaposition. The victim of the accident lay on his back, opening and shutting his mouth like an obfuscated clam, and saying no more. A bright-faced lad in a natty khaki uniform stepped up.

"Unfortunate sir," he said, just like that. "I am a boy scout. One of the tenets of our order is to do a good turn each day. Before I joined the troop I loafed around pool halls quite a good deal. Permit me to swear for you!"

Ah, children, was he not a helpful scout?

SCOUT TRAINING SAVES LIFE.

The value of the boy scout training was recently shown in Carrollton, Mich., when Walter Price, a boy scout, rescued the three-year-old daughter of Stanley Stefankowski from drowning in a cistern. The little girl had wandered into a neighbor's yard and fell into the cistern. Women who saw her were too excited to do anything. Scout Price, who was hiking in the vicinity, heard their cries and went to the rescue. The water was considerably over his head, so he thrust a pole into the cistern, crawled down and held the child up until help arrived.

GENERATIONS IN SCOUTING.

G. Henry Nesslage, scout executive of the Borough of Manhattan in New York city, entered scouting as a scoutmaster in 1910. His father, H. H Nesslage, became assistant scout executive to him in New York city in 1916, which office he still holds. His son, Herman, became twelve years old last August and immediately became a scout. Herman passed his second class test, thus making three generations of scouting.

HER MISTAKE

By IRENE E. HAYES.

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Alicia and Caroline were quarrelling about a man. It was ever thus when there were newcomers—male ones—in Silverwaters. As for the men, well, it depended on whom they saw first. It seemed as though Alicia were to be victor this time, since, as she maliciously told Caroline, Mr. Barton was to spend the coming week-end with her folks.

Alicia Grant was a statuesque blonde. She gave one the impression of being ever cool and unrumpled. Caroline was of the tawny type—red golden hair, Carmen complexion, temper and all. Betty Murray was their go-between in quarrels, besides an effective foil for their respective charms. From childhood it had been so. Betty's home, appropriately enough, separated those of her two friends, and like theirs, the lawn sloped to the river from which the town derived its name.

"I do wish I weren't so plain!" Betty wanted to compete in this particular affair. She had seen Mr. Keene Barton's picture, and for one solid week had listened to his praise as sung by Alicia. Heretofore the victims had never appealed to her as being real, worthwhile men. But now—why, Mr. Barton had just the right kind of wavy black hair, the ideal chin and nose!

Still there were possibilities. It was a dear little heart-shaped, rosy flushed face peeping at her from the mirror. The velvet blue eyes could look almost satanic and the nose was saucily tilted, the mouth deceitfully demure.

"There are no homely women in the world, only those who do not know how." That quotation inspired her. "I'm going to the city."

Having no family to say her no, only a grandparent who always said yes—she did go. If I should enumerate the things she bought you might get the impression that she was going to partake in some theatricals.

No sooner had she returned than Alicia phoned. For a moment her plans seemed all for naught.

"News, Bets, dear. Dad has sent word that Mr. Barton will arrive tonight instead of tomorrow! His things are here now."

"May I come over and size him up by his trunks?" Betty's voice sounded gay over the wire."

And another inspiration came to her during the examination of the stranger's luggage.

"Oh, Liccy dear, lend me your new bag; mine is too shabby to take with me when I go to cousin Sue's." The bag was brought and Alicia thanked.

"And now I'll be going. I hope Mr. Barton will prove the man his trunk indicates." With this enigmatic remark she was gone.

Living alone with only a grandparent has its compensations, especially when one wants to be alone.

"Grampie, dear, let me fix you a nice something and tuck you up for a sleep." "Grampie" fell into the trap neatly.

You'd think she was expecting some intimate caller to see her preen when once alone in her room. She donned the flimsiest of negligees—the kind they wear only in the movies—all ribbons and lace and rosettes. Moreover, she used one of her recent purchases—an eyebrow pencil.

It was perhaps 10 o'clock when the door bell rang. Betty received the unexpected caller, who, when he could, apologized.

"I'm awfully sorry to intrude—but—" It transpired then that Betty had taken his bag by mistake.

"What a lot of trouble I've caused you." She was blushing most charmingly. He was watching a little curl try to kiss a dimple near the moist red lips. Ah! the attempt had been successful. Betty brushed the audacious thing away.

"I'm afraid I'm keeping you from your beauty sleep."

"Oh, beauty sleep! Early morning dips in the river are so much more beneficial. Don't you think so?" The dimples winked.

Keen Barton evidently thought so. At any rate, he was "Johnny-on-the-spot" next morning.

"Yes, I enjoyed my swim." In answer to Alicia's query at breakfast later.

"Fibber," he hadn't been in the water any longer than it took to swim to the Murray landing place. Alicia became uneasy—he wasn't responding to her smiles.

The reception that evening was a very brilliant occasion. Alicia wore an artistic black gown. Caroline—well, Caroline was a Cleopatra for gorgeousness.

"I wonder why Betty came in her grandfather's old barouche when the machine—Oh, look, Liccy, who's that with Mr. Barton?"

Could this pansy-eyed imp be Betty? This pink-clouded butterfly with the tantalizing dimples? Betty herself reassured them.

"Mr. Barton and I have met before." They exchanged smiles.

Wise little Betty to prefer the slow carriage to the more modern car. "The longest way round is ever the shortest way—"

"You see"—Betty finished her confession to Barton while he held the hand adorned by his ring—"I had to take a chance on your coming for the bag yourself."

"[illegible] so much of a chance"—he [illegible] the flirtatious dimple—"I had [illegible] group picture of your two [illegible]."

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7:30 p. m. each Wednesday, midweek service with special address by the pastor.
8:00 p. m. each Thursday, (at parsonage) "Teachers' Club" for study of the Scriptures and Social Fellowship.
Everybody cordially invited to attend all services.

Rev. W. J. Thompson attended the Los Angeles convention of Congregational churches last Monday and Tuesday at the Church of the Messiah, in Los Angeles. The delegates from this church were Miss Anna Green and Mrs. Watson, who also attended. They report a splendid time and especially enjoyed the address by President Blaidsell of Pomona college.

The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held in the Congregational church parlors Oct. 29 at which parliamentary rules will be discussed. All interested are invited.

BETHANY

Dr. W. H. Rawlings, Pastor.
9:45 a. m. Bible School. Adult
11:00 a.m. Morning service.
7:00 p.m. Prayer meeting
7:30 p.m. Evening service,
6:30 p. m. (Sun.) Senior Young People's meeting.
7:30 p. m. (Wed.) Prayer Meeting.
Bible class at the home of Miss Stone 206 N. Auburn, Thursday afternoons at 2:30.
Mr. Francis R. Moote Sunday school superintendent; Rev.A. H. Miller, Bible class leader; Miss Frances Stone Bible woman.
Bethany church and Sunday school are enjoying manifest evidence of God's blessing.
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9:45 a. m., Sunday school.
11 a. m., Morning Prayer.
7:30 p. m., Evening Prayer.
The regular weekly meeting of the Woman's Guild will be held in the Sunday School room on Friday afternoon at 2:30 and the following week at the home of Mrs. J. H. Wright, 266 E. Montecito.

Next Sunday morning Dean Shaw will speak on "The League of Nations and the Parable of the Good Samaritan," and in the evening "Christianity on Trial at the Coming Election."

At the annual meeting of the clergy of the Episcopal church held in Los Angeles last Monday, Dean Shaw was unanimously elected as president to preside at all meetings for the ensuing year.

Mrs. William Carson Shaw entertained the members of the knitting club and their husbands with dinner on Wednesday evening at her home on East Laurel avenue.

If those interested in the work of the Bishop's Guild, Neighborhood Settlement, Los Angeles, will send their old clothing, shoes, papers and magazines, any scraps of materials that are suitable for dresses for poor children, or anything that can be made use of by Nov. 1, to Miss Webster, 131 Bonita avenue, when a truck will be sent out to collect the things.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY

Services of Christian Science society of Sierra Madre are held in the Kindergarten building, West Highland avenue.
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THE WOMAN'S CLUB
By Mrs. Palmer Rhodes.

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This program is being furnished at the earnest request of many of the ladies who heard and so thoroughly enjoyed Mrs. Kapp's afternoon with us last club season. Mrs. Spencer Howard will preside over the tea table.

Art Section

Miss Helen Sadler, whose artistic accomplishments are well known, and deeply appreciated, has been engaged by the board of directors to act as instructress to the Art Section of the club and will conduct her class on the first and third Thursday of each month at the club house. from 2 o'clock to 4. Mrs. F. L. C. Roess will act as her assistant. A brief outline of the season's work, as outlined by Miss Sadler herself, but subject to change, follows:

The first hour will be given over to an outline study of the History of Art, beginning with the relics of prehistoric times up to our modern artists. Each member of the class will be required to keep notes on this subject. The second hour will be given to actual work.

The chairman of this section, Mrs. F. L. C. Roess, is desirous of completing the registration for the Art class by Monday and requests that all who have not yet signified their intention to join may do so by that time. For other information call Mrs. F. L. C. Roess, Red 90.

Drama Section

Mrs. J. Milton Steinberger, chairman of the Drama Section, whose interest and talent is largely devoted to the activities of the drama, brings to us this week the good news that Miss Florence MacAffee of Pasadena widely known for her dramatic ability and success as a director and instructor, has consented to take charge of the class here. Besides studying the history of the drama, the class will take up the reading and study of the American, English, Irish, French and Italian plays and a most interesting feature will be the actual training in voice production, stage etiquette and delsarte. Each month this section will give an evening's entertainment consisting of one-act plays, in the presentation of which they will receive instruction on stage management. Quite a number have already signified their desire to join this class and any others wishing to do so may phone Mrs. J. Milton Steinberger, Main 110.

Music Section

Arrangements for this section are not yet complete enough to publish definite information , but it is hoped that the plans may be perfected in time to present at the regular club meeting on Monday, Oct. 25. In the meantime Mrs. Charles Klunk will gladly add any names to her class list.

Masquerade Ball

In celebration of Hallowe'en, the Woman's club is planning a grand masquerade ball for the evening of Oct. 29, which affair, embracing as it does the opportunity for unusual mirth and riotous fun, is arousing the enthusiasm of many. It is hoped all will come masked and in order to stimulate interest in this direction, four prizes will be given. These will be awarded to the gentleman and lady wearing the most artistic costume and to the most comically dressed couple. Dancing will be from 8:30 to 12. Spectators will be admitted for 25c plus war tax.

Republican Speaker

The Woman's club, anxious that its members as well as the people of Sierra Madre, at large, may have an opportunity of personally hearing both sides of the political question, have given an invitation to both the Democratic and Republican organizations to send speakers to address the people in open meeting. The Democrats were given the first date and on last Thursday night sent Prof. Martin, of the University of Southern California who offered his address to a rather limited audience. On Thursday, Oct. 28, at p. m., the club house will be opened to the Republican speaker, and we understand that the Republicans are planning to make this a most interesting evening. J. Montaville Flowers will be the speaker of the evening and thre will be a short address by another speaker, whose name has not yet been learned. Since Sierra Madrans know Montaville Flowers to be a powerful speaker, they will probably need no urging to attend this meeting.

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE ON PARTITION

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles.
Grace A. Hilborn, Plaintiff, vs. Carl B. Soale and Wilson H. Soale, her husband, Defendants.
Notice of Commissioner's Sale on Petition.

Under and by virtue of an order of Sale and Decree of Partition issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Los Angeles, State of California, on the 31st day of October, 1916, in the above entitled action, wherein Grace A. Hilborn, the above named plaintiff, and the defendants, Carl B. Soale and Wilson H. Soale, are the owners as tenants in common of the property herein described.

I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece, and parcel of land situated in the County of Los Angeles, State of California, and bounded and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

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Public notice is hereby given that on the 30th day of October, 1920, at twelve o'clock noon of that day in front of the Court House door of the County of Los Angeles, Broadway entrance, I will sell the above described property to the highest and best bidder, for cash, Gold Coin of the United States, and pay the proceeds of said sale into Court to be divided between the tenants in common, after paying all costs and charges assessed in said partition.

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